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Dear Sir:

Examiner:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 15, 2001, the following substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84, are enclosed to complete the filing of the above-identified patent:

- 1. Submission of Formal Drawings (1 page); and sixteen sheets of formal drawings.
 - 2. Copy of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required to complete the filing of this application, to Deposit Account No. 19-2386.

It is hereby respectfully submitted that the enclosed documents complete the filing of the above patent application and justify the filing date of January 16, 2001.

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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

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